Notice dated 22nd July 1903.

The following Rules for awarding medals at the Horticultural Shows are hereby notified to the public:—

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja have sanctioned the grant of medals in addition to the usual money prizes offered at the half yearly horticultural shows, subject to the following conditions:—

(1) The medals will consist of, a gold medal for classes I and II, a silver medal for class IV, and a bronze medal for class V.

(2) These medals will be awarded by the Judges, at their discretion, at the Summer Show held in July or August in each year.

(3) The following exhibitors will be qualified for the award of a medal:—

(*a*) The exhibitor of the best all-round exhibit in the appropriate class or classes, taking the two shows of the calendar year together.

(*b*) The exhibitor of an exhibit of more than ordinary excellence in any sub-class.

(*c*) The exhibitor of any specially meritorious novelty.

(4) No exhibitor who has been awarded a medal in any class will be qualified to receive another medal in that class during the three calendar years succeeding that in which he has received the medal.

(5) No exhibitor will be qualified to receive a medal who is not the *bona fide* cultivator of his exhibit, or the actual occupant of the garden in which the exhibit was raised, *e.g.*, no contractor, who has merely purchased fruit or vegetables exhibited will be eligible.

(6) It will be open to the Judges to withhold any or all the medals in any year on the ground of deficiency of merit in the exhibits.

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